IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2183
Examiner: Mr. Daniel H. Pan

re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of November 16, 2004, the period for reply to which has been set to expire on February 16, 2005.

A fee of \$\sum_{0 \times_0}\$ is being submitted concurrently. Should this remittance be accidentally missing, however, or should any additional fees be needed, the Director may charge such fees to our Deposit Account number 18-0002.

Please amend the above-identified application as specified on the following pages, and then reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that are presented thereafter.

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